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In re Application of	:	
HAMILTON, Eric et al.	:	
Application No. 10/574,159	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: January 16, 2007	:	TO WITHDRAW
Attorney Docket No. <b>HAND0003</b>	:	FROM RECORD
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This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b), filed August 11, 2010.

The request is **NOT APPROVED**.

The request to withdraw from record cannot be approved because the change of the correspondence address is not that of: (1) the first named inventor; or (2) an assignee of the entire interest under 37 C.F.R. 3.71 who has properly intervened.

As stated in the previous decision mailed March 29, 2010, the Office will either change the correspondence address of record to the most current address information provided for the assignee of the entire interest who properly became of record under 37 CFR 3.71 or, if no assignee of the entire interest has properly been made of record under 37 CFR 3.71, the most current address information provided for the first named inventor.

Petitioner has stated in the instant request that a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) was previously filed on February 22, 2008. However, our records indicate that the assignment data differs from the records at the Office. Therefore, as there is currently no Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) with the current assignee information of record in the instant application, the Office cannot approve or change the correspondence address on the Request to Withdraw at this present time.

If an assignee has intervened in this application, then an updated Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) or a copy of the actual assignment must be submitted with a renewed request.

All future communications from the Office will continue to be directed to the above-identified address until otherwise properly notified.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at 571-272-4618.

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